

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

MAURICE L. BROOKS,)	CASE NO. 5:07CV1967
)	
Plaintiff,)	JUDGE JOHN R. ADAMS
)	
-vs-)	
)	<u>MEMORANDUM OF OPINION</u>
COMMISSIONER)	<u>AND ORDER</u>
OF SOCIAL SECURITY)	
)	
Defendant.)	

The Social Security Administration denied Plaintiff's application for supplemental security income under Title XVI of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. § 1381 *et seq.*) in the above-captioned case. Plaintiff sought judicial review of the Commissioner's decision, and this Court referred the case to Magistrate Judge David S. Perelman for preparation of a report and recommendation pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636 and Local Rules 72.2(b)(1). The Magistrate Judge submitted a report and recommendation (Doc. 16) recommending that the Court affirm the Commissioner's decision.

Fed. R. Civ. P. 72(b) provides that the parties may object to a report and recommendation within ten (10) days after service. Defendant has not objected to the Magistrate's report and recommendation. Any further review by this Court would be a duplicative and inefficient use of the Court's limited resources. *Thomas v. Arn*, 728 F.2d 813 (6th Cir. 1984); *Howard v. Sec'y of Health and Human Servs.*, 932 F.2d 505 (6th Cir. 1991); *United States v. Walters*, 638 F.2d 947, 949-50 (6th Cir. 1981).

Accordingly, the report and recommendation of the Magistrate Judge is hereby adopted.
The Commissioner's decision denying Brooks benefits is affirmed.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 22, 2008

/s/ John R. Adams
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE